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#### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Notice of Allowance Mailed, dated March 2, 2010, Applicants hereby provide replacement drawings with the appropriate "prior art" notation added to Figs. 1 and 2. A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is included with this response.

In light of the fact that the issue fee was paid December 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully request entry of this response and the replacement drawings, and that this application proceed to issue.

Should the Examiner have any further comments or suggestions, please contact Jessica Smith at (972) 240-5324 as soon as possible to quickly resolve any issues.

Respectfully submitted,
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This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 2 months from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR 1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The Office action of May 21, 2007 required the addition of --Prior Art-- legends to Figs. 1 and 2. Applicant's amendment paper of Aug. 15, 2007 stated that replacement drawings were attached, but no replacement drawings are present in the file record.

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